The turpentine managers of the Tenn. Legislature are resorting tovery wanton publications in order to engineer the "Loyal Militia" bill through They announce that a diabolical conspiracy has been entered into to procure the assassination of a number of influential Union men late of the Federal army, and residing in the third Congressional district. Sums varying from one to five thousand dollars their calumniators say, offered to make way with the precious renegades. We hardly believe the people of Tennessee would give one thousand dollars to rid the country of Brownlow and his whole clan, much as they despise them. The grave will hide the whole party soon enough without the aid of rebel hands; but time can never suppress their infamy.

### Immigration and Labor.

The all important subject of agriculture, and the necessity of bending our energies towards the planting interests of the South is absorbing the attention of the press of Louisiana, Alabama and Mississippi. Planter and patriot the man who made money by specula tion, as well as the man who lost a fortune or a limb, during the late war, with an energy and industry almost unparalleled, devote themselves to the subject, but do not seem to hit directly at the true means of accomplishing, with any fair prospect of success, the object which they aim at .-These greatly interested parties of agriculturalists-the old-time planteris dead-raise a wail over the exode of the men with the rough hand and the stout heart to Texas; nay, even to Mexico, Brazil, and away to the other side of the Andes, whilst they neglect or forget the true remedy. Immigration is the only falvation of the Southern States. Bring the stalwart Irishman, victim of misrule in his island home, to you. Give him some encouragement, and he will certainly come. Bring the industrious and patient German; he will be glad to escape from the changed Governments under which the onward march of time or chance have placed him. Bring these, and they will build up villages on the lines of the great thoroughfares of commerce, and thereby encourage the development and culture of the surrounding districts. Encourage immigration from all sections. Labor is capital, and it is wrong to allow it to drift westward, or to the rickety republics of South America, whilst there is a far better field, barring the crude crotchets of some half crazy Congress adopted. en berein the South. Brazil, Peru or Patagonia, cannot compete in promise of agriculture, position or prosper-

ity, with the States of our own sunny clime, and there is, even in those countries, less stability in Governments than here at home. Then, in God's name, let us help the outward tide, and encourage the incoming of good men. Let the old-time prejudice against men of peculiar language, accent or idiosyncrasies. which was of old a mere party cry, be entirely ignored. Let the foreigner be invited protected and encouraged, when he comes; let the quibbling quarrel about suffrage and franchise, go to the winds. Let us get good, honest, reliable labor, and there are sufficient elements of promise and prosperity in our country, to bring us wealth and happiness. There is no time to be lost in taking action in this matter. The season for planting is swiftly leaving us behind, and another autumn

may find us with meagre crops and almost empty coffers unless something the Treasury, and the intentions of the law have been defeated. The Committee hereis promptly done. We have no prejudice against the negro-we only want | man of the House Committee, of the facts him to give a fair days work for a fair days wages. To get this from the darkey is difficult; he dreams in his ignorance of some ideal state on this earth, where he can eat drink and be merry. Work to him does not seem to be liberty; and the freedom to country is but the necessary consequence of his new condition. This system of labor and government; and can in our mind be remedied only by

Can in our mind be remedied only by a wise and mild system of legislation and a firm kindness. Follow this course—encourage and aid the incomcourse—encourage and aid the incomThe bill was taken up and the substitute

ported a substitute bill for House bill for House bill for thouse bill for House bill for thouse bill for House bill for clime, who are now floating adventu-better protection of real estate and live stock in the counties of Yalobusha and rers hardly able to find, even by honest, hard labor, bread, in the over crowded cities of the North. We lave heard much talk on the subject 12, nays 13. of labor and agriculture, but very little action has yet resulted.

The steamer Gen. Shepley was rements thereto, and recommended the possible burned at Ossabaw Island, near of the bill as amended. The amend Savannah. She had gone to the island are as follows: to remove the stock and produce of a plantation, the negroes on which had refused to contract for the year's labor or to leave, and it is intimated that she was set on fire by the negroes.

are as follows:

Amend by additional section, as section 7, Sec. 7. Be it further enacted, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to any lands lying east of the Sunflower river in the county of Washington nor to the county of Yazoo. was set on fire by the negroes.

# Proceedings of the Legislature SENATE JOURNAL.

SATURDAY, Feb. 9, 1867. Senate met pursuant to adjournment. Prayer by the Rev Mr Napier.

Journals of yesterday read and approved Leave of absence was granted for the day to Messrs Martin and Jackson. Indefinite leave of absence was gr

On motion of Mr Lyles the vote passin House bill to abolish the office of Trustees of the Mississippi State Lunatic Asylum and for other purposes was reconsidered.

Mr Lyles then offered the following amendment which was adopted :

Amend by striking out the word five in the third line from the bottom on 2d section and insert six. The bill was then read the third time and passed Mr. King, from the Judiciary committee. eported a substitute for a bill to provide for

perfecting titles in certain cases with a reommendation that it do pass. Report received and agreed to and substi-tute passed with title as follows: A bill for making deeds in certain cases and for other

Mr King from the same committee report-

ed adversely to bill to relieve certain agricultural districts from the expense and labor of keeping up separate plantation fences.— Report received and agreed to and bill lost Mr King from same committee reported back Senate bill to repeal an act organizing the militia, approved Dec. 6, 1865, with a recommendation that it do not pass by reason of a similar bill having passed the Senate yesterday. Report received and agreed to. Mr King from the same committee reported as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT:-The Judiciary Committee who were instructed by resolution of the Senate to enquire into the expedience of abolishing the office of District Attorney, &c., have instructed me to report that setting aside the constitutional question involved, they do not consider it expedient at this time to abolish the office of District Attorney and devolve the duties of that office upon the County Attorneys.

Mr King from the same committee repor-

ted adversely to Senate bill to regulate notice by publication in the courts of law and equity in this State. Report received and

Mr Miller from the same committee reporported back House bill to secure the payment of costs in all civil cases brought in the county of Adams, with a recommendation that it do not pass. A division, on motion of Mr McCargo, upon receiving and agreeing to the report, which was received. The question recurring on agreeing the Senate refused. The bill was then taken up. Mr Hooker moved to amend by striking out "Adams county" and insert "the several

counties of the State" which was adopted. Mr Wilson moved the indefinite postponement of said bill which prevailed by yeas Mr Miller from the same committee reported adversely to the bill to amend the laws

of this State on the subject of vagrancy. Report received and agreed to and the bill Mr Wilson, from same committee, report-

ed adversely to House Bill to amend the County Court law.

Report received and agreed to. Mr Wilson, from same committee, reported adversely to House bill to establish a system of punitive labor in the several counties in this State. Report received and agreed to. Mr Yerger, from same committee, reported substitute bill for House bill to authorize the Auditor of Public Accounts to issue duplicate warrants in certain cases, with a recommendation that said substitute do pass. Report received and agreed to, and bill pas-

Mr Lyles, from Committee on Education, reported favorably to House bill to authorize and empower the Boards of Police of certain counties to compromise the school fund thereof. Report received and agreed to .-The bill was then taken up.

Mr McCargo moved to amend by striking out "DeSoto" wherever it occurs, which was

Mr Taylor moved to amend by inserting the county of Marshall, and that the Board of Police Court shall not compromise the principal of the debt, but alone the interest hereon already accrued.

On motion of Mr Lyles, the bill and amendments were laid on the table. Mr Jackson, from the Committee on Boundaries, reported adversely to the several petitions from the citizens of Tippah and Tishomingo counties, relative to creating new counties out of certain territory therein specified, and in consequence of numerous counter petitions thereto, asked to be relieved from the further consideration.

Mr Taylor, from a Joint Select Committee, made the following report, which was re, ceived and agreed to: MR. PRESIDENT: The Joint Select Com

mittee, appointed to inquire into the condition of the Indigent Fund, created by act of 1865, have had the matter under consideration, and have instructed me to report that there has been no distribution of the fund, on account of the irregularity of, and carelessness with which the Reports of the Boards of Police of the several counties of the State have been made. They find the sum of sixty thousand dollars has been re ceived from the special tax of the year 1865 to May 1st, 1866; that only eleven counties of the State reported by the first of May, 1866, and the whole number reported to this time is forty-three; nineteen counties under section 3, and thirty-four counties under section 8. There have been evident misaprehensions as to the duties of the Board of Police, which have resulted in locking up this fund for nearly a year in the vaults of with submit as a part of this report. a tabular statement, drawn by C W Pope, Chairincident to the fund, and have framed a bill to distribute the fuud in a manner not pro-vided for by law, but which, in the opinion of the Committee, seems to be the only just and equitable manner of doing so, with

nendation that it do pass.
J. H. R. TAYLOR, Chairman, &c.

WM. D. LYLES. On motion of Mr Lyles, the bill was laid on the table, 100 copies of the bill and rewaste his dollars in roaming over the port ordered to be printed and made the special order for Fuesday next. 10 o'clock.

By Swett, from the Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted a report of the several bills referred to that Committee for cor-

Other amendments were offered, when Mr.

Mr. Jackson, from a select committee, reported back bill to provide for rebuilding and repairing the levees on the Mississippi river in the State of Mississippi, with amendments thereto, and recommended the passage of the bill as amended. The amendments

lands now exempt from taxation.
On motion of Mr Jackson the bill was

Mr Hooker offered the following amendment to the 1st amendment rec by the committee. Insert after the words Yazoo, the words or Sunflower which was The 1st and 2d amendments recom

Mr McCargo moved that the bill be refer red to a joint select committee of three on the part of the Senate and — on the part of the House. Mr Hooker moved that Mr McCargo's motion be laid on the table, which was lost by yeas 3, nays 21.

by the committee was adopted

appointed said committee. Mr Lyles from a select committee reported back House bill and reduced into one, an act to incorporate the Columbus Life and ate soldiers in this State requiring artificial General Insurance Company, and acts amenars, and for other purposes. Bill read

On motion of Mr Lyles the bill was taken On motion the Senate adjourned until 3 o'clock, P. M.

datory thereto, and recommended the passage of said bill without amendments. Re-

THREE O'CLOCK, P. M.

port received.

Senate met as per adjournment. A message was received from the House announcing the passage of sundry bills.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill before them, at the time of adjournment, to-wit: a bill entitled an act to revise and reduce into one, an act to incorporate the Columbus Life and General Insurance Company, approved Feb. 14, 1862, and amendatory acts thereto, approved Feb. 1st, 1856, January 28, 1862, and Dec. 9, 1863, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. King the bill was laid on the table and made the special order for Tuesday 12 o'clock.

Mr. King from a select committee reported back House bill on the subject of the indebt edness of several counties therein named, with amendments thereto, and with the recommendation that the same do pass.
On motion of Mr. Montgomery the bill

was taken up and the following amendments adopted: amend by extending that the provisions of this bill be applied to the counties of Jefferson, Scott, Monroe, Winston and Choctaw. Mr. King moved the indefinite postpone

mant of the bill which was carried On motion the Senate adjourned till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

# HOUSE JOURNAL.

SATURDAY, Feb. 9, 1867.

House met pursuant to adjournment. Journal of yesterday read and approved Mr Irby by leave introduced a bill to inorporate the President and Directors of the Southern Asylum, which was referred without reading to Committee on Corporations. Mr Murdock from the Committee on Ways and means reported back the communication of J. Benton of Yalobusha county, and asked to be discharged from further consideration of same. Report received and agreed

Mr Murdock from same Committee report ed back House bill for the relief of Noah Vernon, late Sheriff of Tippah county, and stated that, in the opinion of the committee the present law provides for the case, and would recommend that said bill do not pass, which report was received and agreed to and bill lost

Mr Murdock from the same committee reported back Senate bill to be entitled an act to apply the monies for license to retail vinous and spiritous liquors within the corporate limits of the town of Pontotoc, Pontotoe county, for a limited time, to repair the Pontotoe Male Academy, with amendments thereto, and recommend that the bill as Report received and agreed to and amend-

ments adopted as follows: Amend by additional section Sec. 3. Bort further enacted, That nothing centained in this act shall be construed to deprive the State of its tax—and make present section three read four, and bill pass-

Mr Caperton from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances reported back with Mr Dotson in the chair. bill for the relief of D A Brawden, a citizen of Panola county, and asked that the committee be discharged from its further consideration as it involves a judicial question that might be left to His Excellency the Governor, and would furthermore ask that the Clerk of the House read the petition of said citizens that the House may take such action as may be deemed necessary.

Report received and agreed to. Mr. McRae moved to refer the bill to the Judiciary Committee, which motion was ost. The question recurring on the passage of the bill it was decided in the affirmative. by yeas 41, nays 20.

Mr Simrall from the Committee on the Judiciary to whom was referred a petition from | his judgement be required. the Board of Police of Tunica county and others, asking increase of salaries of Circuit | iff who has conveyed and delivered any con-Judges; also a bill to increase the salary of viets to the Superintendent of the Penitenthe Judge of the third Judicial District, re- tiary since the 12th day of November, 1866. ported back same with a substitute bill and shall be entitled to such compensation as and agreed to and bill made special order tox to-day 12 o'clock,in Committee of the Whole. | the Auditor of Public Accounts is authorized |

Mr Murdock from the Committee on Ways and Means reported back Senate bill to amend the vagrant laws of this State, ap- and passed proved Nov. 24, 1865, so far as the same prorides for levying a poll or capitulation tax recommendation that the same do pass. transmission of the same to His Excellency, Report received and agreed to and bill

Mr Murdock from same committee repor ted back House bill to limit and assess the tions to Orphan Asylums in the city of Natchtax to be paid by Express Companies and asked that it do not pass. Report received and agreed to and bill lost. A message was received from the Senate

Mr Acker from a select committee to whom was referred a petition from sundry members of the Board of Police of Monroe county, asking a transfer of the decisions of the High Court of Errors and Appeals now in the Probate Clerk's office of said county to the office of the County Attorney, have re-ported the same back and asked that the prayer of said petitioners be not granted, that whether as a loan or a gift of the said citizens, it would in some degree defeat the object for which they were donated. Report received and agreed to and bill lost.

Mr Boddie from a select committee reported back bill to remove the civil disabilities ogents.

Mr Acker introduced a bill to amend the criminal laws of this State, which was read

by title, and referred to the Judiciary Com- Conrad, of Jefferson county, was read the Mr Griffin introduced a bill to prevent the practice of carrying weapons in this State, which was read by title, and referred to the ize the militia was read the first time and

which was read by title, and referred

Judiciary Committee.

Mr Griffin introduced a bill to amend art.

190, sec 38, of chap. 34, of Revised Code,—
Larceny—which was referred, after its first
reading, to the Judiciary Committe.

Mr Griffin introduced a bill to amend sec.

4, chap. 11, of an act to amend the Probate
Court laws. approved Nov. 20, 1865, which

Court laws, approved Nov. 20, 1865, which was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr Slover introduced a bill to amend art. 19, sec. 4, chap. 40, of the revised Code—of divorces and alimony—which was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr Slover introduced a bill to amend the Probate Proviso in the 4th section.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House refuscion to incorporate the Braudon Hotel Company, which amendment is as follows:

Amend by striking out the 6th section.

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On motion of Mr Labauve the Senate bill of Lee, who are grant a general amnesty and pardon to and passed.

ord land insert the words, except lands class constitution of the State of Mississippi. all officers and soldiers for crimes and misde-mickasaw school lands, and other school mittee.

Mr Williams introduced a bill to raise a revenue to defray the expences of the Gov-ernment of the State of Mississippi, which was referred to the Committee of Ways and

Mr Stone introduced a bill to alter the practice of Chancery courts in relation to injunctions in certain cases, and for other Mr Barry introduced a bill to regulate the

sale of proprietary and medicinal prepara-tions in this State, which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Mr Cromwell introduced a bill to change and fix the time of holding the Circuit courts | fused to concur in Senate amendments to of the 6th Judicial District, which was re-Mr McCargo's motion prevailed, when ferred to a select committee of six, compos-Messrs McCargo, Yerger and Mosely were ed of Messrs Cromwell, Murdock, Beauchamp, McRae, Read and Bowden. Mr Caperton introduced a bill to ascertain

> three several times and passed. Mr Labauve introduced a bill to amend chap 40, Revised Code, relative to principals and sureties, which was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

the number of maimed State and Confeder-

Mr Labauve introduced a bill in relation to the endorsers of negotiable papers, which was referred to the Judiciary Committee. Mr Labauve introduced a bill to authorize the Auditor to pay over certain monies, which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

entitled an act to amend the Exemption follows: laws of this State, which was read the third time and passed.

The House then proceeded to the consideration of a bill to increase the salary of the

On motion of Mr Simrall, the special order

Probate Judges of certain counties therein On motion of Mr Labauve, the Honse solved itself into Committee of the Whole for the further consideration of said bill, with Mr Suratt in the Chair. After some time spent therein, the Committee rose, reported Senate substitute for House bill, with sundry amendments, and

recommended its passage. On motion of Mr Surratt, the report was received and agreed to, and bill passed as Also to the consideration of a bill to

vide for the immediate distribution of the Indigent Fund. On motion of Mr Labauve, the House solved itself into Committee of the Whole for further consideration of said bill, with

Mr Suratt in the Chair. After some time spent therein, the Committee rose, reported bill back to the House and recommended that it do not pass. On motion of Mr Labauve, the report was recived and agreed to.

Mr Gholson called from the table the Senate bill on the same subject, and on the further motion of Mr Gholson the bill was referred to a Select Committee, with in- Judiciary Committee. structions to report a bill to provide for the investing of the \$60,000 in corn to be distributed pro rata; and to provide for the repeal of the law creating the fund, and reserving a like sum of the State tax for purpose of Common Schools, and that the Committee report by bill or otherwise. On motion of Mr Pound, the House ad journed until 3 o'clock.

## 3 o'clock, P. M.

House met pursuant to adjournment, no quorum appearing, On motion of Mr Barry a call of the House was ordered and the Sergeant-at-arms ordered to bring in the absentees. Messrs Acker, Owen, Gowan, Murrya, Mer-

rill, Carter, Darden, Boddie, and Marable were each presented and severally excused. lows: On motion of Mr Suratt the further call of Mr Murdock from the Committee on Ways and Means reported a bill to repeal an act entitled an act to provide for the support of

wounded and disabled soldiers and for the support and education of indigent children of deceased solders and the relief of indigent families of the State, approved Nov. 21, 1865. Report received and bill referred to a select The special order of the day was taken up. to-wit:

An act to provide for the conveying of convicts to the Penitentiary, and on motion the House resolved itself-into Committee of the Whole for its further consideration. After sometime spent therein the commit-

tee rose reported bill back with sundry amendments and with the recommendation that the same do pass. On motion of Mr Dotson, the report was received and agreed to and the amendments

1st. Be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Sheriff of the several countses to wait until the adjournment of their several courts before they start with convicts | inst., motion lost. to the Penitentiary, so as to make but one trip for the convictions of each term of the court and that the Governor shall allow compensation only for such number of guards as the circumstances of the case in

2d. Be it further enacted, That any Sherecommended its passage. Report received provided in section 2 of this act, upon his granted to Mr Yerger; and to Mr. Lyle for complying with the conditions thereof, and | one day. to issue his warrant on the Treasurer for the

same. The bill was then read the third time Mr Irby from the Committee on Enrolled bills submitted a report announcing the cor on freedwomen and minor freedmen, with a rect enrollment of certain bills and of the the Governor.

> Upon the further consideration of special orders, an act authorizing certain appropriaez was taken np.

On motion of Mr Hillyer the House resolved tself into Committee of the Whole for further consideration with Mr Labauve in the announcing the passage of sundry Senate chair. After sometime spent therein, the bills. dry amendments thereto, and with the recomendation that the bill as amended do pass. On motion of Mr. Labauve the report was received and agreed to, and the following amendments adopted:

Ist. Provided, That the bonds so appropriated for such Asylum, shall be applied

solely to such children as are resident of the State of Mississippi. 2d. Be it further enacted, That the sum of

On motion of Mr. Hillyer the bill was

Mr. Irby asked leave of absence for Mr. On motion of Mr Gowan the Senate measages were taken up.
The Senate bill for the relief of Henry

first time and referred to committee on Ways

On motion of Mr Labauve the Senate bill of Lee, which was read three several times

to the Judiciary committee.\*
On motion of Mr Lyles the House concurred in Senate amendments to House bill to remove the civil disabilities of Samuel Jack. a minor of the county of Rankin, which amendment is as follows: Amend by adding the name of Edward

W Faunchess, of Hinds county. On motion of Mr Morphis, the House concurred in Senate amendment to House bill to protect officers and individuals in certain cases, which amendment is as follows; Strike out all after the words "Confederate States" in the 2d section.

On motion of Mr Caperton the House re-House bill to incorporate the town of Terry in the county of Hinds, which amendment are as follows: Amend by conferring the same powers on

the mayor of the town of Louisville, Winston county. Amend title by adding to it the words "and for other purposes."

Senate bill amendatory to an act to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Deaf

and Dumb Institution of the State of Mississippi to make a contract with the agent of the Deaf and Dumb Institute of Louisiana or any other Southern State, was read the third time and passed. Mr Gowan gave notice that he should, at some future day, move a reconsideration of

the vote on the bill. On motion of Mr Barry the House cor curred in Senate amendments to House bill to incorporate the town of Crystal Springs, of the day was taken up, viz : A bill to be Mississippi. Which amendments are as Amend by striking out the title and inser-

> s follows : An act to incorporate the town of Crystal Springs, and for other purposes.
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> Insert after the words section 1, the words be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, That."
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> And insert after the numbers of all the

And amend by additional section: SEC. 19. Be it further enacted, That this act take effect and be in force from and after ts passage

sections after section 1, the words "be it fur-

ther enacted, That,"

On motion of Mr. Owen the House concurred in Senate amendment to House bill for the relief of the Sheriff and members of the Board of Police of Tunica county. Which amendment is as follows: Amend by inserting after the word 'Tunica," the words "and Attala," and changing the word county to counties, where

they occur. Senate bill to provide for making deeds in certain cases, and for other purposes. was read the first and second time, and on motion of Mr Labauve, referred to the Judiciary Committee.

On motion of Mr. Hillyer, the Senate bill to legalize the last will and testament of M. Osiley, deceased, late of Madison county, and for other purposes, was referred to the On motion of Mr Barry, the Senate bill to

incorporate the Mississippi Industrial Insurance Company, was referred to the Com-On motion of Mr Graham the Senate bill for the relief of W. M. Taylor, of Rankin county, was referred to the Committee on Lnnatic Asylum.

On motion of Mr Simrall, the Senate sub

stitute for House bill to authorize the Auditor of Public Accounts to issue duplicate warrants in certain cases, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. On motion of Mr Luse the House concur red in Senate amendments to House bill to provide for rebuilding and repairing the evees on the Mississippi river, in the State of Mississippi, which amendments are as fol-

1st. Amend by additional section as "Sec Be it further enacted, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to any lands lying east of the Sunflower river, in the county of Washington, nor to the counties of Sunflow

2d. Amend 3d section in 6th line after the word "land" and insert the words "except the lands held by the State in trust or other wise, the Chickasaw school lands, and other school lands now exempt from taxation. On motion of Mr Shannon the House bill with Senate amendments to abolish the office of Trustees of the Mississippi State Lunatic Asylum, and for other purposes,

were referred to the Committee on Lunatic Mr. Hillyer introduced a bill to amend chapter 64, section 38, article 190 and 191, of the Revised Code-larceny-which was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary

Mr. Pound introduced a resolution that both Houses of the Legislature adjourn sine die, on Thursday the 14th inst. Mr Hillyer moved to amend by striking out Thursday and inserting Friday the 15th Question on suspension of the rules was

On motion of Mr. West the House adjourned until Monday morning 10 o'clock. Monday, Feb. 11, 1867. Senate met as per adjournment. Prayer by the Rev J W Rodgers.

The Senate resumed consideration of the business pending adjournment on Saturday An act for the relief of Jno C Butler, or Tippah county and Thos W Harr, of Madi-

Journal of Saturday read and approved.

On motion indefinite leave of absence was

On motion of Mr Stone, the following amendment was adopted; Amend first section by inserting the name of M W Stevens, of Choctaw county, after the word "county," in the first line. Amend by way of additional section:

SEC. - Be it further enacted, That James E. Miller, of Chickasaw county, be allowed to peddle tinware of his own manufacture, without paying license for the same. On motion of Mr. Lyles, the last amendment was laid on the table Mr King offered the following amend-

Amend by inserting the words "and all maimed and disabled Confederate or State soldiers in Copiah county, after the words "of Choctaw county." Mr. Taylor moved to lay the amendment on the table, which motion prevailed by a

On motion of Mr Taylor, the bill was read the third time and passed with title amended and "for other purposes." On motion of Mr Wilson, the regular order of business was suspended, and by leave, introduced a bill to increase the fees of certain county officers, which bill was rejected by a vote of yeas 11, nays 8.

vote of yeas 14, nays 2.

the corporate limits of the town of Burnsville, which was read three several times and passed.

Also bill to incorporate the Iuka Springs

Hotel Company, which was read three several times and passed.

Mr Jackson introduced a bill to increase the salary of the Keeper of the Capital.

Mr Martin moved to reject the bill, which motion was lost by a vote of yeas 8, nays 11. The bill, on motion of Mr Jackson, was then referred to the Committee on State Library.
Mr Cain introduced a bill to anthorize the

Board of Trustees of schools and school funds of township 9, Range 21 west, in the county of Lawrence, to make certain settlements, which, on his motion, was read three ments, which, on his motion, several times and passed.

Mr Wilson introduced a bill in relation to the enrollment of judgments in the county ceived and agreed to.

Mr Reid introduced a bill to incorporate the Pensacola and Meridian Railroad Com-

Mr Lyles introduced a bill to reduce the price of the swamp and overflowed lands of the county of Hancock, in the Pearl River District, which was read three several times

The special order for the day, was then taken up, to-wit: A bill for the encouragement of Agricul-

On motion of Mr. Lyles, the Senate resolved itself into committee of the whole for the further consideration of said bill. After some time spent therein the committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to set again at 3 o'clock P. M.

On motion the Senate adjourned until 3 o'clock P. M.

3 O'CLOCK, P. M. Senate met pursuant to adjournment. Senate then resumed consideration, in Committee of the Whole, of bill for the encouragement of Agriculture, and, after some

time spent therein, rose, reported bill back

with sundry amendments thereto, and with

the recommendation that the bill as amended do pass. The Senate refused to adopt the recommendation of the Committee by a vote of

yeas, 11-nays 11. Mr King, from the Judiciary Committee. reported back memorial of the Railroad Companies, and stated that, from thorough examination, they conclude that the law levying said tax on travelers on the railroad. should be repealed as being illegal and impracticable, and do not deem it advisable to eport a bill for its repeal, masmuch as the subject will be before the Senate in a general revenue bill; and ask to be discharged from its further consideration, which report was

received and agreed to.

Mr Wilson, from the Judiciary Committee, reported back bill to provide for the payment of all debts and liabilities contracted or assumed by the General Levee Board of Levee Commissioned recommended the passage af the same. Report received and agreed to, bill taken up, read the third time

Mr Martin, from the Judiciary Committee, reported back bill for the relief of purchasers of real estate at Executor's and Administrator's sale, and for other purposes, and recommended that it do pass. Report re-ceived and agreed to, the bill taken up, read the third time and passed.

Mr Martin, from same Committee, reported bill for the appointment of county administrators in the several counties in this State, with a recommendation that it do pass. Report received and agreed to, and

Mr Martin, from same Committee, reported back bill to amend an act to incorporate the Board of Trustees of the Institution of Learning, under the care of the Mississippi Presbytery, approved Dec 3, 1830, with a recommendation that the bill do not pass. Report received and agreed to, and bill taken up, pending which the Senate adjourned until to-morrow morning, 9 o'clock.

# HOUSE JOURNAL.

MONDAY, Feb. 11, 1867. House met pursuant to adjournment.

Memphis, Tennessee. Journal of yesterday read and approved. Upon a call of the counties, Mr Pope introduced a bill for the benefit of Mrs E Harris, of Adams county, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Ways and

Mr Merrill introduced a bill to authorize the Board of of Police, of Carroll county, to erect toll gates on the Carrollton and Greenwood road, which was read three several times and passed. Mr Merrill introduced a bill for the relief

f Ann Stroud, of Clark county, which, on

his motion, was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Mr Milton, in absence of Mr Steele, introduced a bill to incorporate the Parksville Manufacturing Company, which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and

Mr Dotson introduced a bill to remove the civil disabilities of Charlotte O Abraham, married woman of Hinds county, which On motion of Mr Lyles, the vote passing said bill was reconsidered, and on his further

Judiciary. Mr Kendall introduced a bill to incorporate the town of Ocean Springs, in Jackson county, which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations. Mr McRae, in the absence of the mem-

motion, referred to the Committee on the

bers from Lauderdale county, introduced a oill to remove the civil disabilities of James A Gully, a minor of Lauderdale county, which was read twice. Mr Lyles moved to amend by adding the names of Jno S Martin, of Marshall county, which amendment was adopted. Mr Griffin moved to amend by adding the

name of P D Thomason, of Madison county which amendment was adopted. On motion of Mr McRae, the bill was read the third time and passed as amended.

Mr Hanson introduced a bill to appropri ate certain taxes, and for other purposes. which was read and passed.

Mr Dunlap presented a petition from Jno B Fant, of Marshall county, which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Mr Slover presented a petition from Hanly W Byrn, of Tippah county, which was referred to the Committee on Corporations

without reading. Mr Suratt presented a petition from sundry citizens of Rienzi, Tishomingo county, which was referred, without reading, to the Committee on County Boundaries. Mr Milton introduced a bill in relation to the Circuit and Chancery Courts in the county of Yalobusha, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr Milton introduced a bill to incorporate

the Grenada Manufacturing Company, and

for other purposes, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Corpora-Mr Hillyer introduced a bill to authorize the Board of Police of Adams county to issue County Bonds, which was read three

several times and passed Mr. Shannon introduced a bill to amend the charter of the city of Vicksburg, which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations. Mr Cameron presented a petition from sundry citizens of Vicksburg, which was

also referred to the Committee on Corpora-

Mr Cromwell, from a Select Committee. reported adversely to bill to change and fix the time of holding the Circuit Courts of the 6th Indicial District, which report was received and agreed to and the bill lost. Mr Wall, from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, made the following

Mr Wisdom introduced a bill to extend MR SPEAKER: The Committee on Propositions and Grievances to whom was referred a memorial of a portion of the citizens of Jackson, Hinds county, in relation to the present conditions of the State Penitentiary and management of the same, have had the matter under consideration. The Committee are of opinion that inasmuch as the Penitentiary has been leased out for a term of years and the trade fully consummated, years and the trade fully consummated, both on the side of the State as well as on the part of those contracting for the same, that it jwould be inexpedient to take any action in the premises, and have instructed me, after expressing all due regard for the feelings of the memorialists and the views entertained by them, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the request of the memorialists had

was read the first time and referred to Mr Acker offered the following joint reso-

Resolved, by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, That the Auditor of Public Accounts, be, and he is hereby required to issue his warrant in favor of Mrs. O. H. Miller, widow of R. C. Miller, late Clerk of the House of Representatives for any sum or sums of money that may be due from the State of Mississippi to said R. C. Miller, for his services as Clerk of the House of Representatives, due since Ootober 16, 1865, which was read twice, and on motion of Mr. Suratt. referred to a select Committee, composed of Messrs. Barry, Acker and Dunlap

Mr Webb, from the Committee on the Treasurer's Office, reported back bill for the relief of F Zollicoffer and the heirs of John A Jackson, deceased, of Attala county, and recommended the passage of the same Report received and agreed to and bil Mr Gholson introduced a bill for the de-

fence of Hon Jefferson Davis, which was read the first time, and, on his further motion, referred to the Committee of the Whole The House then resolved itself into Committee of the Whole, for the further consideration of said bill, with Mr Surratt in the Chair. After some time spent therein the Com

mittee rose and reported bill back, with a

recommendation that the same do pass. Re-

port received and agreed to, and bill passed Mr Gholson introduced a bill to appoint counsel for the defence of the Hon Jefferson Pavis, which was read, three several times and passed.

M. Hour is duced a bill to encourage immigration to the State of Mississippi, and the introduction of foreign capital, which was read by its title, and referred to the Committe on State and Federal Relations. Mr Lewis, from the Committee on Corpo-rations, reported back bill to incorporate

ring Company, with a recommendation that it do pass. Report received and agreed to, and bill passed. Mr Lewis, from same Committee, reported back bill to incorporate the Independent Fire Company, of Kosciusko, with an amendment thereto, and the recommendation of its passage as amended. The amendment is as follows:

the Raymond and Hinds Connty Maufactu-

Amend section 3 by striking out the words "or otherwise." The bill was then read the third time and Mr Lewis, from the same Committee, reported favorably to bill to authorize the Southern and Western Fire Marine and Ac-

cidental Insurance Company of New Orleans to establish branches in the State of Mississippi, which report was received and agreed to, and the bill passed. Mr Lewis, from same Committee, reported back bill to incorporate the Live Oak Academy, in Jackson county, with amendments thereto, and with the recommenda-

tion that the bill as amended do pass. The amendments are as follows: Amend section 1, by inserting after the word "academy" in the 7th line the following words, "for the education of youth." Amend section 3 by adding the following words, "and when two thonsand dollars shall be subscribed and paid, the said Com pany shall be authorized to commence busness." Report received and agreed to and bill passed as amended

ported favorably to bill to incorporate the town of Charleston, in Tallahatchie county. and for other purposes, which report was re ceived and agreed to, and bill passed. Mr Darden introduced a bill supplemental to an act in relation to the collection of taxes, in Adams county, and for other purposes, approved Feb 5 1867, which was read and passed.

Mr Lewis, from the same Committee, re

The special order of the day was then taken up, to-wit: An act to provide the means to increase the salaries of the Judicial officers of this State, which was referred to the Committee of the Whole, with Mr Milton in the Chair. After some time spent therein, the Committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again at 3 o'clock, P. M. On motion, the report was received and agreed to, and, on motion of Mr Webb, of

o'clock, P. M.

3 O'CLOCK, P. M. House met pursuant to adjournment. Mr. Dotson offered the following joint res-

Franklin, the House adjourned until 3

Resolved, By the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, That Hon. C. E. Hooker, Attorney General of the State. be, and he is hereby granted, during the year, 1867, sixty days leave of absence. On motion of Mr. Dotson the resolution was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Irby, from the committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted a report announcing the correct enrollment of several bills, and their esentation to his Excellency the Governor, for approval. Leave of absence was granted Mr Steele. House then resumed, in committee of the Whole, the consideration of the bill to increase the salaries of the Judicial officers of this State, Mr Milton in the chair,

After some time spent therein the com nittee rose, reported bill back with amendments and recommended the passage of the bill as amended On motion of Mr. Milton the report was received and agreed to. The vote being taken on the passage of

the bill, it was decided in the affirmative by yeas 36, nays 34. The calendar was then taken up. House bill to amend an act in relation to the town of Orizaba, was read the second time and placed on the calendar. A bill to incorporate the Trustees of the Baptist Church, Meridian, Lauderdale county, was read the second time, and placed on

A bill to amend an act to create a new county, to be called the county of Lee, was read the third time and passed, by vote of yeas 34, nays 24. A bill to regulate the practice of medicine in this State, was read the second time, and Agreeable to previous notice, Mr. Labanye moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill to amend an act regulating the rate of

cided in the negative. Mr Gholson moved to recommit the bill to Committee of the Whole, which motion The question recurring on the passage of the bill it was decided in the affirmative by

interest, etc., was lost, which motion was de-

a vote of yeas 37, nays 30. Mr Murdock introduced a bill for the incorporation of Southern Home Insurance Company, which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations. The joint resolution relative fo adjournment on the 15th inst., was read, when Mr. nd by striking out

"Friday, the 15th inst.," and insert "Saturday, the 15th inst.," which was adopted. The resolution as amended was then adopt-A message was received from the Governor announcing the reception of a communica-tion from Hon. W. L. Sharkey. A bill to create a new county to be called the county of Barksdale, was read the second time, and on motion of Mr Turley. made the special order for to-morrow, in Committee of the Whole, at 11 o'clock.

A bill to dispense with the publication in contain the contain reasons.

certain cases, and to provide for notice therein was read the second time and on motion of Mr Labauve, was indefinitely

On motion of Mr Labanve, the Governor's nessage was taken up and read for informa-tion, and on motion of Mr. Meares, the further consideration thereof was postponed until to-morrow morning 11 e'clock.

On motion of Mr Shannon, the House adjourned until to-morrow 10 o'clock.